

Niagara Compliance Audit Committee

Application for Compliance Audit *Municipal Elections Act, 1996* (Section 88.33 and 88.34)

An elector who is entitled to vote in an election and believes on reasonable grounds that a candidate or registered third party has contravened any of the provisions of the *Municipal Elections Act, 1996* relating to campaign finances may apply for a compliance audit of the candidate or registered third party advertiser's campaign finances, even if the candidate or registered third party advertiser has not filed a financial statement.

An application for a compliance audit must be received within 90 days after the latest of the following dates:

- the filing date, which is the last Friday in March following the election (by 2:00 p.m. Friday, March 31, 2023);
- the date the candidate or registered third party advertiser filed a financial statement, if the statement was filed within 30 days after the filing date;
- the candidate's or registered third party advertiser's supplementary filing date, if any
- the date on which the candidates or registered third party advertiser's extension approved by the court, if any, expires.

Applicant Information	
Last Name:	First Name:
Full Qualifying Address within Municipality/Niagara:	
Mailing Address, if different than qualifying address:	
Telephone:	Email:
Candidate or Registered Third Party Advertiser	
Name of Candidate or Registered Third Party Advertiser:	
Name of Office for which the Candidate Sought Election (if applicable):	
Filing Date of Candidate's or Registered Third Party Advertiser's Financial Statements:	

Reasons for Compliance Audit

Provide the reason(s) that you believe the candidate or registered third party advertiser named above has contravened the *Municipal Elections Act, 1996*, relating to campaign finances:

Identify the section(s) of the *Municipal Elections Act, 1996* relating to campaign finances you believe have been contravened:

Applicant Confirmation

I confirm that the information provided in this application is complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge and that I am eligible to vote under the *Municipal Elections Act, 1996* in the applicable area municipality in Niagara.

Applicant's Signature:

Date:

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Received By:

Date:

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